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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of David B. Johnson and Jeffrey A. Schmidt
entitled EXTENDER-ARM

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 12 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 4 sheets of drawings, Small Entity Status Form, and executed Declaration.

Applicants claim benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

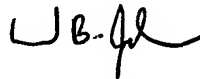
The Government filing fee is calculated as follows (**Small Entity fees apply**):

Total claims	<u>13</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$9.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u> - 3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$42.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$375.00

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$375.00
Recordation of Assignment	
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$375.00</u>

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$375.00 is attached. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



David B. Johnson

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